STATE OF MAINE BOARD OF LICENSURE IN MEDICINE

In re:	:)	CONSENT AGREEMENT
RON MARK, M.D.)	
Complaint No. CR15-148)	

This document is a Consent Agreement, effective when signed by all parties, regarding disciplinary action against the license to practice medicine in the State of Maine held by Ron Mark, M.D. The parties to the Consent Agreement are: Ron Mark, M.D. ("Dr. Mark"), the State of Maine Board of Licensure in Medicine ("the Board") and the State of Maine Department of the Attorney General. This Consent Agreement is entered into pursuant to 10 M.R.S. § 8003(5)(B) and 32 M.R.S. § 3282-A.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

- 1. Dr. Mark has held a license to practice medicine in the State of Maine since October 14, 2010 (license number MD18634), and specializes in diagnostic radiology.
- 2. On October 21, 2015, the Board initiated a complaint alleging that a) Dr. Mark failed to disclose two pending medical malpractice claims and one medical malpractice settlement on his application for renewal of license dated August 21, 2013; and 2) failed to disclose two pending medical malpractice settlements, and a complaint and disciplinary action taken by the Colorado Medical Board on his application for renewal of license dated July 27, 2015. The Board docketed the complaint as CR15-148, and sent it to Dr. Mark for a response.

- 3. By letter dated December 1, 2015, Dr. Mark responded to the complaint. In his response, he stated that the Colorado Medical Board disciplinary action was reported to the Board by letter dated August 10, 2015, and that he had notified the Colorado Medical Board about the case at issue on July 9, 2014. Dr. Mark also referenced and enclosed letters from other state medical boards that chose not take action based upon the Colorado Medical Board disciplinary action. Dr. Mark failed to address the remaining complaint allegations in his response.
- 4. At its meeting on January 12, 2016, the Board reviewed Complaint CR15-148, and voted to set this matter for an adjudicatory hearing. In addition, the Board voted to offer Dr. Mark this Consent Agreement to resolve this matter without further proceedings. Absent Dr. Mark's acceptance of this Consent Agreement by signing and dating it in front of a notary and mailing it to Maine Board of Licensure in Medicine, 137 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0137 on or before February 21, 2016, the matter will be scheduled for an adjudicatory hearing.

COVENANTS

5. Dr. Mark admits the facts stated above and that such conduct constitutes grounds for discipline pursuant to 32 M.R.S. §§ 3282-A(2)(A) (for engaging in the practice of fraud, deceit or misrepresentation in obtaining a license), (2)(F) (for engaging in unprofessional conduct), and (2)(M) (for

disciplinary action by another state for conduct that if committed in Maine would constitute grounds for discipline).

- 6. As discipline for the conduct described above, Dr. Mark agrees to accept the following discipline:
 - a. A REPRIMAND; and
- b. A CIVIL PENALTY in the amount of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00), payment of which shall be made by certified check or money order made payable to "Treasurer, State of Maine," and remitted to Maine Board of Licensure in Medicine, 137 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0137, within thirty (30) days of the execution of this Consent Agreement.
- 7. Violation by Dr. Mark of any of the terms or conditions of this Consent Agreement shall constitute grounds for discipline, including but not limited to modification, suspension, or revocation of licensure or the denial of re-licensure.
- 8. This Consent Agreement is not appealable and is effective until modified or rescinded in writing by the parties hereto.
- 9. The Board and the Department of the Attorney General may communicate and cooperate regarding Dr. Mark or any other matter relating to this Consent Agreement.
- 10. This Consent Agreement is a public record within the meaning of 1 M.R.S. § 402 and will be available for inspection and copying by the public pursuant to 1 M.R.S. § 408.

- 11. This Consent Agreement constitutes discipline and is an adverse licensing action that is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB), the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB), and other licensing jurisdictions.
- 12. Nothing in this Consent Agreement shall be construed to affect any right or interest of any person not a party hereto. If any clause of this Consent Agreement is deemed illegal or invalid, then that clause shall be deemed severed from this Consent Agreement.
- 13. Dr. Mark acknowledges by his signature hereto that he has read this Consent Agreement, that he has had an opportunity to consult with an attorney before executing this Consent Agreement, that he executed this Consent Agreement of his own free will and that he agrees to abide by all terms and conditions set forth herein.
- 14. For the purposes of this Consent Agreement, the term "execution" means the date on which the final signature is affixed to this Consent Agreement.

I, RON MARK, M.D., HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING CONSENT AGREEMENT AND AGREE WITH ITS CONTENTS AND TERMS. I FURTHER UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, I WAIVE CERTAIN RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO A HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD. I SIGN THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT VOLUNTARILY, WITHOUT ANY THREAT OR PROMISE. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND THERE IS NO OTHER AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND, VERBAL, WRITTEN OR OTHERWISE.

DATED:	2/10/16	RON MARK, M.D.	-,
STATE OF	New york	- NON garden, M.D.	
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Personally appeared before me the above-named Ron Mark, M.D., and swore to the truth of the foregoing based upon his own personal knowledge, or upon information and belief, and so far as upon information and belief, he believes it to be true.

DATED:

02/10/2016

NOTARY PUBLIC/ATTORNEY

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MAROULLA S. GLEATON, M.D., Chairman

STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATED:

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Assistant Attorney General

Effective Date: 3/8/ No (4